

Enforcement Actions Closed or Concluded
State of Arkansas
Fiscal Year 2001- 1st Quarter
October 1, 2000 - December 31, 2000

County	Statute	Facility Name	Date Final	Type of Action ¹	Penalty Amount ²	SEP ³
Crittenden	RCRA UST	Avery's 7-11	12/22/00	CACO	\$900	
Phillips	CAA	Cedar Chemical Corporation	09/14/00	CACO	\$24,250	\$32,248
Hot Springs	CWA	Central Arkansas Petroleum	10/20/00	CACO	\$3,000	
Pulaski	RCRA 9003	Center Street Texaco	10/11/00	CACO	\$1,050	
Garland	EPCRA 313	Chem-Fab Corporation	11/14/00	CACO	\$5,000	
Union	CWA 311B	Cross Oil Refining & Mar.	10/20/00	CACO	\$500	
Washington	EPCRA 313	Danaher Tool Group	11/14/00	CACO	\$5,000	
Benton	EPCRA 312	General Telephone Operation	12/06/00	CACO	\$1,000	\$2,500
Greene	RCRA UST	H & R	12/22/00	CACO	\$1,950	
Conway	RCRA UST	H.B.'s #1	11/17/00	CACO	\$1,400	
Howard	EPCRA 313	Jan-Eze Plating, Inc.	11/14/00	CACO	\$1,000	
Pulaski	RCRA UST	Jackpot #105	10/11/00	CACO	\$1,200	
Sebastian	TSCA	Lavaca School District	10/23/00	CACO	\$4,400	
Randolph	RCRA 9003	Machost Grocery	11/17/00	CACO	\$600	
Stone	TSCA	Mountain View School	10/31/00	CACO	\$2,860	
Woodruff	CWA 404	Mr. Gary Gibbs	12/29/00	CACO	\$6,000	
Mississippi	TSCA	Osceola Municipal Lights	11/15/00	CACO	\$5,376	\$60,000
Poinsett	EPCRA 313	Parker Hannifin Corporation	11/14/00	CACO	\$5,000	
Lonoke	EPCRA 313	Remington Arms Co., Inc.	11/14/00	CACO	\$5,000	
Greene	RCRA LUST	S & S Food Mart	12/22/00	CACO	\$1,250	
Stone	TSCA	Stone County School	10/31/00	CACO	\$4,400	
Washington	EPCRA 313	Superior Industries	11/14/00	CACO	\$5,000	
Benton	FIFRA 12A2L	Swift Chemical Company	10/31/00	CACO	\$2,700	
	CAA 111	Willamette (2 facilities - Emerson and Malvern, Arkansas)	11/02/00	CACO	see below	see below

1. AO = Administrative Order closed after compliance with the requirements of the order; APO = Administrative Penalty Order requiring compliance with environmental regulations and assessing a penalty; CACO = Consent Agreement and Compliance Order requiring compliance with environmental regulations and/or assessing a penalty; CJ = Civil Judicial Case with the Department of Justice

2. All penalties are Final

3. SEP = Supplemental Environmental Project

Narrative Summary:

CEDAR CHEMICAL CORPORATION, WEST HELENA, AR: U.S. EPA Region 6 filed a Consent Agreement Final Order (CAFO) on September 14, 2000, against Cedar Chemical Corporation (Cedar), in settlement of an administrative action filed on

September 30, 1999. The Complaint alleged that Cedar violated the Clean Air Act and the Arkansas State Implementation Plan (SIP) at its facility in West Helena, Phillips County, Arkansas. In the CAFO, Cedar agreed to pay a cash penalty of \$24,250 and undertake a supplemental environmental project (SEP) worth at least \$32,248 at the West Helena facility. The SEP will reduce solvent emissions from the Propanil Unit by 75%.

OSCEOLA MUNICIPAL LIGHT & POWER, OSCEOLA, AR: A Consent Agreement and Final Order (CAFO) was filed on November 15, 2000, which closes the TSCA PCB Complaint and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing (Complaint) issued June 23, 2000. The Complaint alleged that Osceola failed to properly mark and store PCB items, and notify EPA of its PCB waste management activities as required by 40 C.F.R. Part 761. Osceola has agreed to pay a civil penalty of \$5,376.00 and perform a SEP for \$60,000.00. The SEP involves the identification and removal of its distribution transformers that have a PCB concentration of 50 ppm or greater. Specifically, Osceola will identify and inspect a maximum of 1,200 transformers and dispose of or retrofill and reclassify those having a PCB concentration of 50 ppm or greater. The SEP will be completed in two years.

WILLAMETTE INDUSTRIES JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT, EMERSON AND MALVERN, AR: On November 2, 2000, the U.S. District Court for the District of Oregon entered a Consent Decree resolving allegations and addressing Clean Air Act and State Implementation Plan violations at over 12 wood products manufacturing plants in the states of Arkansas, Louisiana, Oregon and South Carolina. The Consent Decree ordered Willamette Industries to pay a civil penalty of \$11.2 million, spend an additional \$8 million in supplemental environmental projects (SEPs) and install advanced air pollution control technology, costing an estimated \$74 million, on 31 units at 13 facilities in the four states. The Region 6 breakdown of the penalties and orders imposed are: settlement amount for the eight facilities = \$3,086,241.14; SEP amount for Region 6 facilities = \$3,553,000; and injunctive relief (compliance activity(ies)) = \$39,375,000. This is a landmark Clean Air Act settlement resulting from EPA's National Wood Products Initiative, which was begun in 1990.